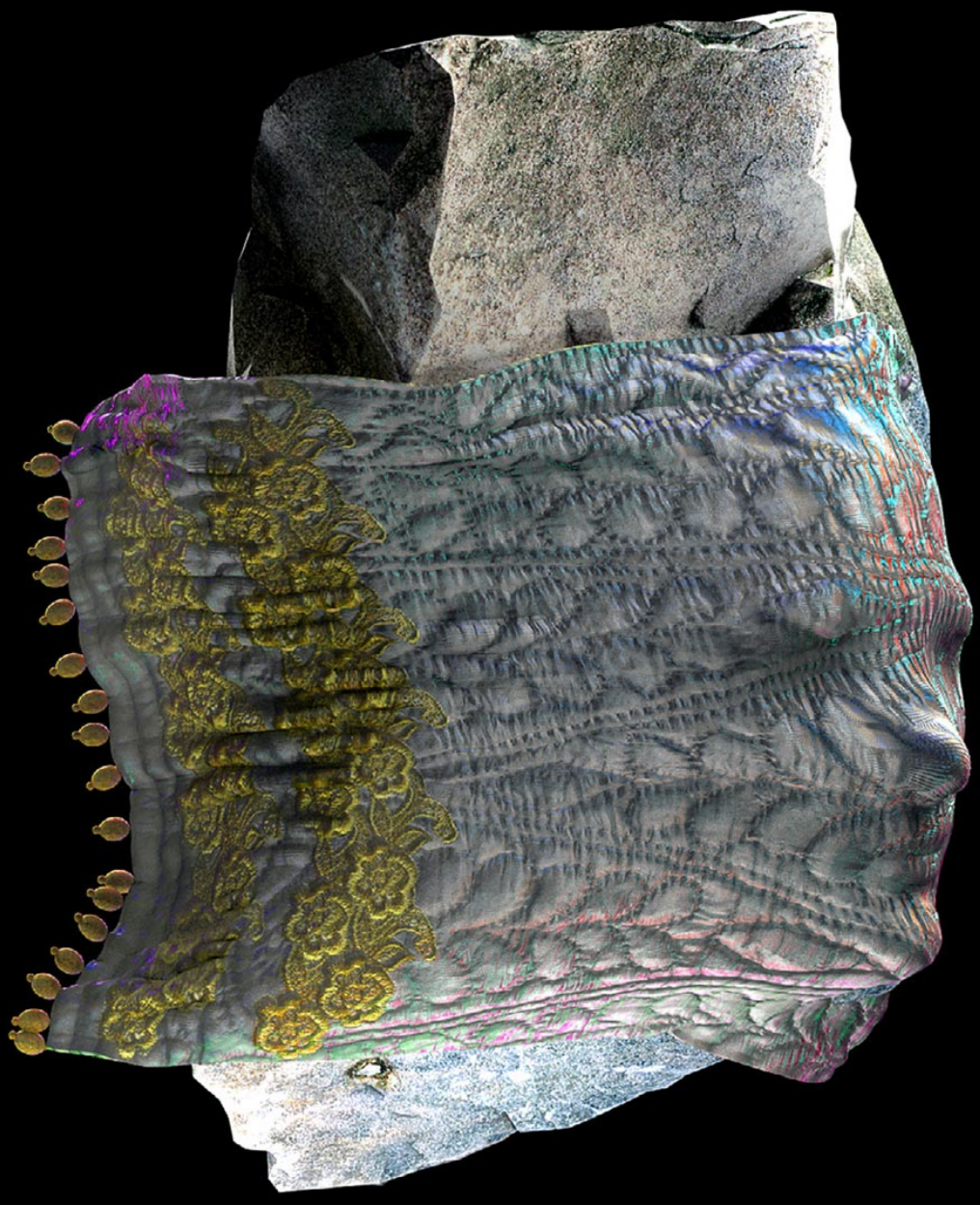
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Application Guidelines

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Call for projects for HERITAGE SPACE IV

Application deadline

May 31, 2019 | Time 23:59

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What is Heritage Space?

Heritage Space explores opportunities to preserve, promote and revive cultural heritage through connection with various creative industries. It is a platform that offers space for creative individuals to use cultural heritage as a source of inspiration to develop new products using different cultural disciplines and mediums such as video, documentary, crafting, technology, design, music, storytelling, exhibitions etc. The platform provides the space where the cultural heritage intertwined among these works, transcends the limitations of time to become reinvented, promoted and revived. This platform will enable cultural heritage to connect with people and become part of their contemporary life as well as remain as an irreplaceable resource for cultural, social and economic development in Kosovo.

The long-term goal of Heritage Space is to:

- Connect cultural heritage with creative industry;
- Find new and creating ways of preserving, promoting and reviving cultural heritage;
- Contribute to youth employment within the cultural sector;
- Contribute to the reinforcement of the network between different cultural sectors and disciplines;
- Raise awareness regarding the richness of cultural heritage and its ability to serve as an irreplaceable source for cultural, social and economic development.

Which Ideas will get support by Heritage Space 2019?

Heritage Space will support ideas or projects that preserve, promote and revive cultural heritage through a contemporary approach by using various creative mediums and disciplines.

Ideas can be related to creative fields listed below:

Storytelling & Interpretation

Arts & Crafts

Digital Heritage

For more information about application creative fields, follow the link: https://bit.ly/2Hah8jD

***Note that all projects need to be finalized within the four months period (July – October 2019).**

What will Heritage Space IV provide?

Heritage Space will continue to support the development of innovative ideas that operate over various mediums and disciplines of the creative industries.

Heritage Space will:

- Offer mentoring, consultation and expertise through four selected mentors who will assist in the development and presentation of selected projects.
- Assist on creating a network of different creative individuals/sectors necessary for a successful development of the selected projects.
- Offer the necessary equipment and materials throughout the whole process.
- Offer financial support for the involved parties in the projects.
- Assist in the promotion of the selected projects throughout their development and finalization.

Mentors of Heritage Space IV:

1. **Veton Nurkollari** (Artistic Director of “Dokufest”)
2. **Erëmirë Krasniqi** (Executive Director of Kosovo Oral History Initiative)
3. **Sali Shoshi** (Executive Director of CHwB Kosovo)
4. **Leart Zogiani** (Founder of Kokrra and Skins Agency)

How is Heritage Space funded?

Heritage Space project is implemented by CHwB Kosovo. The project activity is jointly funded by the UNDP-implemented, European Union-financed 'Inter-Community Dialogue through inclusive Cultural Heritage Preservation' project and the Swedish Government.

Who is eligible to apply?

Applications for Heritage Space platform are open to:

- All residents of Kosovo over the age of 18 who have great ideas and will for their project realization.
- Individuals whose ideas are based on new opportunities offered by creative industries (Storytelling & Interpretation, Arts & Crafts and Digital Heritage).
- Individuals with elementary knowledge of both, cultural heritage and the creative field, in which one is applying is a prerequisite condition for the development of creative ideas.

Therefore, invest some time before submitting your application. Do not limit your ideas only to buildings or objects, cultural heritage is much more than just that.

Career status is not a priority, as we believe that ideas can be phenomenal irrespective of work experience or academic background;

***Applications are accepted in Albanian, Serbian and English.**
***A maximum of two individuals can apply with one project idea.**

What we don't support?

- Proposals which aren't related to the creative industries and which are not related or don't intersect meaningfully with cultural heritage;
- Grants to third parties;
- Projects proposed by organizations/companies/NGOs;
- Ideas that are already being implemented by a third party.

What are the criteria for evaluation?

The evaluation of applications is made on the basis of the information provided in the submitted documents and is judged according to the criteria below:

Creativity: The creative merit of the idea proposed;

Suitability: The level at which the idea corresponds to the objectives of Heritage Space;

Specificity: The clear and descriptive presentation of the activity / idea;

Sustainability: The idea/proposal is able to "live independently" after its finalization and its relevance is not conditioned on temporary bases.

Budget: Preparation of what finances will be necessary for your idea, budgetarily reasonable;

Time Management: The idea must be finalized within four months, the proposals which best layout how they will organize their time are prioritized;

Presentation / Communication Strategy: How applicants expect and plan to present or communicate their finished product / results;

Preliminary Knowledge: The applicant should have elementary knowledge of both, cultural heritage and the creative field in which one is applying.

Deadline

For an application to be taken into consideration the following is required:

- Complete the application form;
- Send your CV (portfolio if available);
- Optional - any other additional document related to the project (you can explain your idea further with a sketch, video/ audio or other appropriate form).

Please complete this form in full by computer. The application form, together with other required documents can be submitted no later than:
***May 31, 2019 (time 23:59)**, via email: **chwb.kosovo@gmail.com**.*
When submitting the application via email, please write in the subject line:
*"**Application for Heritage Space 2019 (Name Surname)**".*

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Question?

If you need more information on Heritage Space and application process, please attend our information session which will be held during May 2019, in five regions of Kosovo (Prishtina/Priština, Mitrovicë/Mitrovica, Pejë/Peć, Prizren and Gjilan/Gnjilane). There you will have the opportunity to meet with mentors of this edition and consult them on any questions you may have about each creative field.

For any additional information please check our Facebook page CHwB Kosova as well as our web page ***www.chwb.org/kosovo*** *or contact us at* ***chwb.kosovo@gmail.com*** *or phone number:* ***+383 (0) 44665472*** */* ***+381 (0) 38 754 866****, before* ***May 31, 2019****.*

Successful application?

Applicants that pass the first phase of evaluation by the jury, will be notified by email and invited to present their concept on an interview before the Evaluation Committee **during the month of June 2019**. The applicants who successfully pass the interview will be invited to finalize their proposed Action Plan and Budget after which a contract will be signed.

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